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PATENT APPLICATION



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
: Examiner: P. Schwartz
Makiko ENDO, et al.)
: Group Art Unit: 1774
Appln. No.: 09/708,569)
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Filed: November 9, 2000)
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For: IMAGE FORMING PROCESS, INK)
SET, IMAGE BY INK-JET)
RECORDING, RECORDED)
ARTICLE, SURFACE-TREATED)
ARTICLE AND SURFACE) September 8, 2003
TREATING PROCESS)

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Petition

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated May 8, 2003, for one (1) month from August 8, 2003 to September 8, 2003. Submitted herewith is a check for \$ 110.00 to cover the fee for the extension under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17. Any deficiency in or overpayment of this fee should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 06-1205.